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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, 16TH MAY, 1868.

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PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Chart.—B.C., on Pedder's Wharf
ing side.

Destination.	Intended Despatch.
Saigon, Suez, &c. Swatow, &c.	17th, 10 a.m.
Melbourne and Sydney	

Melbourne and Sydney	Early
Taku	
Saigon, Newchwang	
Portland San Francisco	Early Immediate
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Tamsui	
San Francisco	
Manila	
San Francisco	Early
Puget Sound	Early

Hilo	
London	
Foochow	
San Francisco	

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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane,
Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30,
Cornhill. GORDON & GORCH, 121, Hol-
born Hill, E.C.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW
ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORCH, Mel-
bourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports
generally.—WHITE & BAUER, San
Francisco.

CHINA.—SUNLAW, DROWN & Co. Amoy,
Giles & Co. Tientsin, THOMPSON &
Co. Shanghai, H. FONG & Co. Ma-
nila, C. KAPUTH & Co.

Arrivals.

April 16, *Ada*, Brit. ship, 686, Jones,
Newcastle, N.S.W., March 20, 500 tons
Coal and 100 tons General.—Order.
May 16, *Glauco*, from Whampoa.
May 16, *Alma*, from Canton.

Departures.

May 16, *Lisa* Allen, for N'po and S'hai.
16, *Wampus Castle*, for Foochow.
16, *Nellie Abbott*, for Swatow.

Clearances.

Energie, for Taku.
Jaun, for Swatow.
Gauche, for Whampoa.
Yesso, for Swatow.
Gleuro, for Saigon.

Shipping Reports.

The British ship *Ada*, from Newcastle
N. S. W., reports fine weather and light
winds and calms nearly all the passage out;
crossed the Line on 16th April, in long 159
E.; in China sea fine weather and light
wind till arrival in port, on 15th May; 59
days out.

Under Despatch.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta,
Per *Arratoon* Agent, on Thursday next, the
21st instant, at 4 p.m.
For Shanghai—Per *Ada*, on Monday
next, the 18th instant, at Noon.
For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow, Per
Arratoon Agent, on Monday next, the 17th instant,
at 10 a.m.
For Manila, Per *San Lorenzo*, on Mon-
day next, the 18th instant.

For further Arrivals, New Adver-
tisements, &c., &c., see 4th page.

New Advertisements.

THE A 1 BRITISH SHIP "EVEREST,"
FOR FOOCHOW.
Will leave on Tuesday, the 10th
instant.

For Freight at low rates, ap-
ply to
GILMAN & Co.,
Hongkong, May 16, 1868. 19my

FOR AMOY.
The First Class North German
Barque
"TEKEL"
K'ze, Master, will be despatched
on the 22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
Wm. PUSTAU & Co.,
Hongkong, May 16, 1868.

FOR LONDON.
The Ocean Steam-ship Co.'s
Steamer
"AGAMENNON"
or
"ACHILLES"
of 1,550 Tons Register, will load New Teas
at Foochow and be despatched shortly after
the Clippers. The steamer will call here
for one day only.

Applications for space from this to be
made immediately, and Shipping Orders will
be granted to applicants, should there
be room on arrival in the order of their ap-
plication, and according to the nature of
their Cargo.

Rate of Freight, £6.0 per ton of 40 cubic
feet.
BIRLEY & Co.,
Hongkong, May 16, 1868.

SCHMIDT & VOLKMAN ESTATE.
A SECOND and final Dividend of 2½ per
cent. having become available, Cred-
itors of the above Estate, whose claims
have been acknowledged by the Trustees
are requested to apply for payment of the
said Dividend on their respective Claims at
the Office of Messrs Wm. PUSTAU & Co.,
where also a final statement of accounts
will be open for inspection until the 30th
of June, A. C.

AD. JOOST,
O. C. BEHN,
for the Trustees.
Hongkong, May 11, 1868. 30juns

PORTRAITS.

M. R. J. THOMPSON is prepared to take
PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other
PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial
Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, March 11, 1868. 4f

RASPBERRY, Strawberry, Rose, Cur-
rant, Cherry and various other
SYRUPS made from real Fruit and bottled
in the south of France, can be had at
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

New Advertisements.

TO INVALIDS AND OTHERS.

JUST landed, ex "REIVER," from Cal-
cutta, some very fine GUAVA JELLY
in Jars.

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
Hongkong.
Hongkong, May 7, 1868.

M. R. GLASSE begs to inform his Patrons
and the Public that he has just
ERECTED a new American SODA WATER
FOUNTAIN in anticipation of the hot
Season just at hand. TONIC DRINKS
and beverages ICE COLD and flavoured
with all the various Fruit Syrups of the
purest kind can at any moment be had at
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

PRIKLY HEAT.

THOMPSON'S Non-poisonous LOTION
for Prikly Heat and Mosquito Bites,
is guaranteed to give instantaneous relief.
Price, \$1 per bottle. To be had only at
the International Dispensary, 23, Wel-
lington Street, nearly opposite the R. C.
Cathedral.
Hongkong, April 4, 1868.

EASTLACK & WINN,

Surgeon Dentists,
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.

D. R. WINN desires to say to his Patients
that he has RETURNED from Shang-
hai.
Office hours from 10 A.M., to 5 P.M.
Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES OF
\$1,000 EACH.
\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and
\$100 six months after Allotment.

NOTICE.

WITH reference to the following Reso-
lutions passed at a Meeting of the
Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insur-
ance Company held on the 8th instant, ap-
plications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire
Insurance Company, Limited, will be re-
ceived by the General Manager, the form of
application to be as follows:—
To the General Manager and Consulting
Committee of the Hongkong Fire Insur-
ance Company, Limited,
GENTLEMEN,—
I request you to allot me Shares of
One Thousand Dollars each in the above
named Company, and I agree to accept such
Shares, or any less number which may be
allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One
Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment,
and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars
per Share, six months after allotment, and I
further undertake to subscribe to the Debt
of Settlement when called on to do so.
I remain, Gentlemen,
Your Obedient Servant,
No. 1.

That the General Managers and Consult-
ing Committee are hereby authorized to
adopt measures for the reconstruction of
the Company as the Hongkong Fire Insur-
ance Company, Limited, on the basis propo-
sed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April
presented to this Meeting.

No. 2.
That the General Managers and Consult-
ing Committee are hereby requested to re-
ceive applications for Shares in the Hong-
kong Fire Insurance Company, Limited,
and on the receipt of such applications to
the extent of One Thousand Shares to call
an Extraordinary General Meeting of the
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company for the
purpose of authorizing its dissolution and
the transfer of its assets and liabilities to
the new Company.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.

N. B.—Forms of application for Shares
may be had at the Office of the Company,
Queen's Road.
Hongkong, April 9, 1868.

"STAG HOTEL."
SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

PERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Su-
perior Hotel Accommodation will find it
at the above Establishment.
EDMUND R. HOLMES,
Proprietor.

Breakfast, 9 A.M.
Dinner, 1 P.M.
Tea, 7 P.M.
Refreshments provided at all hours.
Regular Daily Mess at \$30 per month.
The undermentioned Papers are filed:—
China Mail, *Daily Press*, *China Express*,
Illustrated London News, *Punch*, *Engineer*,
Scientific American, *China Pictorial*.

Private Rooms for Dinner parties.
Breakfast from 9 to 10 A.M.
Dinner at 1 to 2 P.M.
Tea at 7 P.M.
N.B.—The Public Bar will be open on
Saturday, the 7th instant.
CHAS. S. DUGGAN,
Manager.
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

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THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF
HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the
attention of Ship Owners, Consignees
and Masters of Vessels to their establish-
ments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which
offer every facility for the docking and re-
pairs of Vessels of all classes.
Their Docks at Whampoa are in good
working order and are pumped out by
Steam, and the workshops comprise the
different departments of Shipwright, Black-
smith, Boilermaker, and Machinery works.
Materials supplied of the best kind and on
the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a
pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of
which masts and boilers can be taken out
of Vessels.
Their Hongkong establishment (lately
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Wanchi Shipyards) comprises also the dif-
ferent departments of Shipwright, Black-
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Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad-
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full dimensions to admit the docking of any
Vessel coming to this harbour, will be com-
pleted in a very short time.
The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"
is always in readiness to tow Vessels to
Docks, free of charge, and to sea, or super-
bath, at reduced rates.
All works carried on under the superin-
tendence of experienced European foremen.
For particulars, apply to
A. D. MITCHELL,
Manager of the Company.

N. B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels
having cause to complain of the works done
at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please ad-
dress their complaints to the Office of the Com-
pany, which will receive the immediate atten-
tion of the Directors.
Hongkong, April 28, 1868.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY
BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,
Hollywood Road, next door to the Hotel
de Europe.
Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

C. L. VOLKMAN,
Private Boarding Establishment.
29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD,
HONGKONG.
Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having PURCHASED
the interest of the WANCHI STEAM
BARRAGE, begs to notify the Public of Hong-
kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared
to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD
in various forms, to any part of the Co-
lony.
Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at
low rates constantly on hand or baked in
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Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar
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L. P. WARD.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

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ING CORPORATION.
SUSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF
DOLLARS.
COURT OF DIRECTORS.
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HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED
ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily
balance.
On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
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VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House,
No. 1, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, March 2, 1868.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.

A Few Copies of STANFORDS LIBRA-
RY MAP OF ASIA, varnished and
mounted on rollers. Price \$15.
Apply to J. C. date of China Mail Office.
Hongkong, May 12, 1868. 19my

FOR SALE.

Ex Late Arrivals.
Per WEMYSS CASTLE and BLACK
PRINCE.
BASS & Co.'s Pale Ale in quarts.
Aromatic BITTERS, superior quality.
Ravall & Co.'s BRANDY, Martell's
Extra.
A few cases of really superior Dinner
SHERRY.
CHAMPAGNE, Ay Mousseux, B. E.
Parrier.
Breakfast and Dinner OLIVET.
SYRUPS, Strawberry, Raspberry, Rose,
Lemon, Cherry, Currant, Orange, Prime
Graviers CHERRY, MACCARONI and
VERMICELLI, FRUITS in Jars.
ACIDE TARTARIQUE.
G. DUBOIS & Co.
Hongkong, May 9, 1868. 9jun

FOR SALE.

An Invoice of Hubbell's Patent Ground
White LEAD and White Zinc PAINT,
also Turpentine and Pale Boiled Linseed
OIL.
And a small Invoice of Patent Safety
MATCHES.
Apply to
BLUM BROTHERS & Co.
Hongkong, May 9, 1868. 16my

FOR SALE.

THE half-decked Schooner-rigged Yacht
"ZEPHYR."
Apply to "J. M." China Mail Office.
Hongkong, May 13, 1868. 19my

FOR SALE.

Ex S.S. "Arratoon Apor," from Calcutta.
PITH HATS.
BOWRA & Co.
Hongkong, May 12, 1868. 19my

Amusements.

73rd. Rec.
BAND AMATEUR SOCIETY.
The kind permission of Lieut. Colonel
G. J. BURNE
The Members of the above will perform on
Tuesday and Wednesday,
The 19th and 20th May,
at the
GARRISON THEATRE,
North Barracks,
The new Burlesque Extravaganza, entitled
ILL-TREATED ILL-TROVATORE,
or
THE MOTHER, THE MAIDEN AND
THE MUSICIAN.
To conclude with the Laughable Farce
A KISS IN THE DARK.
ORCHESTRA
By the remainder of the Band.
ADMISSION.
Reserved Seats, \$2.00.
Front Seats, 1.00.
Back Seats, 0.20.
Doors open at 8.30. Performance to
commence at 9 o'clock precisely.
C. E. WALSH,
Manager.

VIVAT REGINA.

Hongkong, May 16, 1868. 21my

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PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY.
THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.
STEAMERS of this line will leave Hong-
kong for Yokohama and San Francisco
as follows:—
CHINA, Capt. _____ on or about May 25.
Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or
about same date, connecting at Yokohama
with above-named steamer.
Passengers ticketed through to California,
Mexico, Central and South America, the
Atlantic States, and to England or France,
both via New York, Panama and Colon,
Panama and Aspinwall.
Return tickets issued at a reduction of
10% upon the whole amount for the round
voyage.
Connections are made at Panama with
Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Cen-
tral and South America, at Aspinwall with
the "Royal West India Mail Line," West
India and Pacific Steam-ship Company,
(Limited) and the "French Transatlantic
Company." And, at New York, with the
various lines to Europe. Tickets issued
for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cun-
nard, Inman, National, General Transat-
lantic Co., New York and Havre Steam-
ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet
Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship
Co., and North German Lloyd's.
Favorable arrangements have been made
for through passengers and freight to Ame-
rica, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore,
and from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.
Through Bills of Lading given for Ports
of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cen-
tral and South America to as far as Valpa-
raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton
and St. Nazaire, France.
For further information, apply at the
Agency of the Company, Praya West.
GEO. F. ROWMAN, Agent.
Hongkong, April 29, 1868.

STEAM TUGS.

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London

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Destination. Intended Despatch.

Hamburg

Tientsin

New York

Tientsin

Swatow, etc.

San Francisco

in Harbour on May 8.

Consignees or Agents.

Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Gilman & Co.

Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Blain & Co.

Frazar & Co.

Order

Siemssen & Co.

Russell & Co.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALLEN, 11, Old Broad Street, London, E.C. 4.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—WHITE & BAUER, San Francisco.

CHINA.—SINGAPORE, DEWITT & CO. Among GILES & CO. (Shanghai), 11, Broad Street, London, E.C. 4.

Arrivals.

April 15, *Ada*, Brit. ship, 686, Jones, Newcastle, N.S.W., March 26, 800 tons. Coal and 100 tons General.—Order.

May 16, *Henry*, from Whampoa.

May 16, *Alma*, from Canton.

Departures.

May 16, *Lizzie Allen*, for N'po and S'hai.

May 16, *Wampus Castle*, for Foochow.

May 16, *Nelle Abbott*, for Swatow.

Clearances.

Energy, for Tai no.

Gazelle, for Swatow.

Yesso, for Swatow.

Glenro, for Saigon.

Shipping Reports.

The British ship *Ada*, from Newcastle N.S.W., reports fine weather and light winds and calm nearly all the passage out; crossed the Line on 10th April, in long. 150 E.; in China sea fine weather and light wind till arrival in port, on 10th May; 59 days out.

Under Despatch.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—Per *Singapore*, on Thursday next, the 21st instant, at 4 p.m.

For Shanghai.—Per *Aiden*, on Monday next, the 18th instant, at Noon.

For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per *Yesso*, on Sunday next, the 17th instant, at 10 a.m.

For Manila.—Per *San Lorenzo*, on Monday next, the 18th instant.

For further Arrivals, New Advertisements, &c., &c., see 4th page.

New Advertisements.

THE A. I. BRITISH SHIP "EVEREST," FOR FOOCHOW.

Will leave on Tuesday, the 19th instant.

For Freight at low rates, apply to

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, May 16, 1868.

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FOR AMOY.

The First Class North German Bark

"TEKLI,"

Kren, Master, will be despatched on the 22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Wm. PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

FOR LONDON.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s

"AGATHA,"

or

"ACHILLES,"

of 1,550 Tons Register, will load New Tens at Foochow and be despatched shortly after the Clippers. The steamer will call here for one day only.

Applications for space from this to be made immediately, and Shipping Orders will be granted to applicants, should there be room on arrival in the order of their application, and according to the nature of their cargo.

Rate of Freight, £6.6 per ton of 40 cbls feet.

BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

SCHMIDT & VOLKMAN ESTATE.

A SECOND and final Dividend of 2½ per cent. having become available, Creditors of the above Estate, whose claims have been acknowledged by the Trustees are requested to apply for payment of the said Dividend on their respective Claims at the Office of Messrs Wm. PUSTAU & Co., where also a final statement of accounts will be open for inspection until the 30th of June, A.C.

AD. JOOST.

O. C. BEHN.

for the Trustees.

Hongkong, May 11, 1868.

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Portraits.

MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take

PHOTOGRAPHS, VIEWS and other

PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

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RASPBERRY, Strawberry, Rose, Currant, Cherry and various other

SYRUPS made from real fruit and bottled in the south of France, can be had at

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

New Advertisements.

TO INVALIDS AND OTHERS.

JUST landed, ex "REIVER," from Calcutta, some very fine GUAVA JELLY in Jars.

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 7, 1868.

19

FR GLASSE begs to inform his Patrons

that he has just received a new

FOUNTAIN in anticipation of the hot

Season just at hand. TONIC DRINKS

and beverages ICE COLD and flavoured

with all the various Fruit Syrups of the

purest kind can at any moment be had at

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

PRICKLY HEAT.

HOMPSON'S Non-poisonous LOTION

for Prickly Heat and Mosquito Bites,

is guaranteed to give instantaneous relief.

Price, \$1 per bottle. To be had only at

the INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY, 23, Wel-

lington Street, nearly opposite the R. C.

Cathedral.

Hongkong, April 4, 1868.

EASTLACK & WINN,

Surgeon-Dentists,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.

19

D. R. WINN desires to say to his Patients

that he has RETURNED from Shang-

hai.

Office hours from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

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HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES OF

\$1,000 EACH.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and

\$100 six months after Allotment.

NOTICE.

WITH reference to the following Reso-

lutions passed at a Meeting of the

Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire In-

surance Company held on the 8th instant,

applications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire

Insurance Company, Limited will be re-

ceived by the General Managers, the form

of application to be as follows:—

To the General Managers and Consulting

Committee of the Hongkong Fire In-

surance Company, Limited,

GENTLEMEN,

I request you to allot me Shares of

One Thousand Dollars each in the above

named Company, and I agree to accept such

Shares, or any less number which may be

allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One

Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment,

and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars

per Share, six months after allotment, and I

further undertake to subscribe to the Debt

of Settlement when called on to do so.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Your Obedient Servant,

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE.

No. 1.

That the General Managers and Consulting

Committee are hereby authorized to

adopt measures for the reconstruction of

the Company as the Hongkong Fire In-

surance Company, Limited, on the basis pro-

posed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April

presented to this Meeting.

No. 2.

That the General Managers and Consulting

Committee are hereby requested to re-

ceive applications for Shares in the Hong-

kong Fire Insurance Company, Limited,

and on the receipt of such applications to

the extent of One Thousand Shares to call

New Advertisements.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

19

THE COMPANY respectfully beg to call the

attention of Ship Owners, Consignees

and Masters of Vessels to their establish-

ments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which

offer every facility for the docking and re-

pairs of Vessels of all classes.

Their Docks at Whampoa are in good

working order and are pumped out by

Steam, and the workshops comprise the

different departments of Shipwright, Black-

smith, Boiler-maker, and Machinery works.

Materials supplied of the best kind and on

the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a

pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of

which masts and boilers can be taken out

of Vessels.

Their Hongkong establishment (lately

known as Messrs THOS. HUNT & Co.'s

Wanchi Shipyard) comprises also the dif-

ferent departments of Shipwright, Black-

smith, Boiler-maker, and Machinery works

and possesses a pair of lifting shears.

Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad-

vantageously situated, solidly built, and of

full dimensions to admit the docking of any

Vessel coming to this harbour, will be com-

pleted in a very short time.

The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

is always in readiness to tow Vessels to

Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new

berth, at reduced rates.

All works carried on under the superin-

tendence of experienced European foremen.

For particulars, apply to

A. D. MITCHELL,

Manager of Works

At the Office of the Company.

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N.B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels

having cause to complain of the works done

at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please ad-

dress their complaints to the Office of the

Company, which will receive the immediate at-

tention of the Directors.

Hongkong, April 26, 1868.

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MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY

BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,

Hollington Road, next door to the Hotel

de Russie.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

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C. L. VOLKMAN,

Private Boarding Establishment.

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD,

HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED having PURCHASED

the Interest of the WANCHI FRYING

BAKERY, begs to notify the Public of Hong-

kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared

to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

in various forms, to any part of the Col-

ony.

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at

low rates constantly on hand or baked in

quantities at short notice.

Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar</

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and L. Jauray & Co's Association Vintage.
CLARET, real Chateau Margaux.
Haut Bages.
I. Esparto Duroc.
BRANDY, Hennessy's and Martell's in 1 dozen cases.
BEER and PORTER in bottle.
BUTTER (Platts) in kegs.
Also,
A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS.
Apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co
Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

HENDRIE, PIERRE & LUMIN'S Fine Assortment of PERFUMES.
Also,
DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS.
For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by
JULIUS EUBIERE,
Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs,
Hongkong, December 4, 1867.

FOR SALE.
MUNTZ'S Patent Yellow METAL SHEATHING, from 20 to 24 oz., Composition NAILS, Brown Sheathing FELT.
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

EX MAIL STEAMER.
LYON SAUSAGES in best condition. CHEESE and HAMS.
Assorted French CONFECTIONARY. MALAGA RAISINS in bottles and tins. ALMONDS in shells.
Peeled ALMONDS in tins.
Raisins FIGS in tins.
PRUNES in bottles.
Smoked Pomeranian GOOSEBERRASTS.
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

SOCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE, in 2 Volumes, by Revd. J. G. DOOLITTLE, is for Sale at Messrs LANE, CLAWSON & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai. Price, \$6.00.
Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69

FOR SALE.
YELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to 28 oz.
Superior CLARET, St. PIERRE, 1862.
Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIERRE & Co., carte blanche.
SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 doz. Bottles. RAYNAL & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

FOR SALE.
YELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivians.
JOHN BURD & Co.
Hongkong, April 5, 1868.

FOR SALE.
Just Arrived.
BROADWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may be had at Wholesale Prices.
Address "A." Office of this paper.
Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

STEAM COALS.
For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board.
ENGLISH—London-derry West Hartley.
DAVISON'S West Hartley, Straker's West Hartley.
WELSH—Blangware Marthyn.
Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

NOTICE.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SALE.
THE Hulk CELESTIAL, as she now lies at Aberdeen, in good order, well found, and suitable for a floating store or residence.
For particulars, apply to
JNO. S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

FOR SALE.
Do late Arrivals.
PRIME California CHEESE.
Do. Gruyere Do.
Do. California BUTTER.
100 barrels Prime Hamburg Mess PORK.
Prime Westphalia HAMS, at
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A FEW cases of very superior SHERRY, just received ex "Channel Queen."
H. Superior Amontillado SHERRY in 3 doz. cases.
H. Superior Oloroso SHERRY in 3 doz. cases.
H. Extra Superfine SHERRY in 2 doz. cases.
H. Quarter-casks (cased) Superior Oloroso SHERRY.
Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, January 27, 1868.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.
HARMONIC and other Musical INSTRUMENTS.
Christy Minstrel's SONGS. Pianoforte OPERAS.
VIOLIN and other STRINGS, &c., &c. INSTRUMENTS tuned and repaired.
C. WAGNER,
28, Hollywood Road.
Hongkong, August 2, 1867. 2au-68

In-urances.

MERCHAN'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at current Rates.
OLIPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, August 9, 1867.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Office, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on the usual Terms and Conditions. Risks will also be accepted at the following Ports—
Canton, by Messrs DEACON & Co.
Macao, by E. L. LANGE, Esq.
Amoy, by Messrs BOND & Co.
Fuzhou, by Messrs KINNEAR & Co.
Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to
ADAM SCOTT & Co. Agents.
Hongkong, May 22, 1866.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
THE following Resolutions having reference to Insurances in Hongkong, adopted at a Meeting in London of the various Fire Insurance Companies represented in Hongkong and by the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, are circulated for general information:—

1st.—That in future, the rates for short periods be calculated as follows:
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the annual rate.
Above one month and not exceeding three months, 1/2 " " "
Above three months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above six months, The full " " "
2nd.—That Petroleum and its Products should be stored by themselves in buildings constructed in conformity with the following regulations:
"The Building to be of Ground Floor only, constructed of Brick or Stone, with Tile, Slate or Metal roof, such 'roof to have apertures for the purpose of ventilation, the whole of such building, to be sunk at least two feet below the surface of the road or street, or in the event of the floor not being sunk, then, any openings in the walls of said building to be built up to the height of at least three feet above the level of the road or street, in order to prevent the petroleum, &c. flowing out of the building in case of fire."
3rd.—That Saltpetre and Nitrates should be stored in like manner in buildings of substantial structure (without internal wood work) appropriated exclusively to such articles.
4th.—That the rate for the foregoing articles be not less than (2 1/2) two per cent. per annum.
5th.—That Gunpowder should be stored in some fitting place either on shore or in the Bay, under proper regulations and at sufficient distance from all other property.
6th.—That a clause be inserted in every policy covering ordinary godowns, declaring that Petroleum and its products, Saltpetre, Nitrates and Gunpowder, are not deposited therein.
7th.—That the foregoing regulations regarding the storage of goods do come into operation on and after the 6th July next.
8th.—That no Insurances on Chinese Houses shall in future be taken at a lower rate than (2 1/2) two and a half per cent. per annum.
Hongkong, April 6, 1868.
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company, and General Managers
HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents China Fire Insurance Company, Phoenix Assurance Company, Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company.
R. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool.
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents, London Assurance Corporation, Queen Fire Insurance Company, Manchester Fire Insurance Company.
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
TURNER & Co.,
Agents, Northern Assurance Company.
Wm. PONTAU & Co.,
Agents for the Hamburg and Bremen Fire Insurance Company.
ADAM SCOTT & Co., (in Liquidation),
Agents, Sun Fire Office.
RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents, Pacific Insurance Company of San Francisco.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.,
Agents, Guardian Assurance Company.
Per pro the Borneo Company, Limited,
JOHN FRASER,
Agents, Commercial Union Insurance Company. 23my

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL—TWO MILLION STERLING.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton or Whampoa, to the extent of £15,000, in any one Risk upon Buildings or Merchandise, on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances:
One month, 1/4 per cent.
Three months, 1/2 " " "
Six months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.
MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/4 per cent.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/2 " " "
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

NOTICE.
THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs Holliday, Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Fuchow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all useful information may be obtained.
By Order of the Board,
JAS. B. NORTHGOTT, Secretary.
IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$50,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE.
IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the Annual Rate.
Above one month and not exceeding three months, 1/2 " " "
Above three months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above six months, The full Annual Rate.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Act of Parliament.
ESTABLISHED 1809.
CAPITAL £2,000,000.
ANNUAL REVENUE £233,927.
THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.
GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the annual rate.
Above one month and not exceeding three months, 1/2 " " "
Above three months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above six months, the full Annual rate.
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Reduction in the Rates of Premium.
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, 1/4 per cent. per annum.
Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent. per annum.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents, 1 per cent. per annum.
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
Hongkong, March 9, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL—TWO MILLION STERLING.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton or Whampoa, to the extent of £15,000, in any one Risk upon Buildings or Merchandise, on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/4 per cent.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/2 " " "
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances:
One month, 1/4 per cent.
Three months, 1/2 " " "
Six months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.
MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/4 per cent.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/2 " " "
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.
CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING.
THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs Holliday, Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Fuchow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all useful information may be obtained.
By Order of the Board,
JAS. B. NORTHGOTT, Secretary.
IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$50,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE.
IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the Annual Rate.
Above one month and not exceeding three months, 1/2 " " "
Above three months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above six months, The full Annual Rate.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Act of Parliament.
ESTABLISHED 1809.
CAPITAL £2,000,000.
ANNUAL REVENUE £233,927.
THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.
GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

Insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY AND FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
LONDON.
Incorporated 1859.
CAPITAL—£1,000,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

At the request of the Undersigned, Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., have taken temporary charge of the following Insurances Companies:
Phoenix Assurance Company.
Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company.
London and Provincial Marine Insurance Company.
Universal Marine Insurance Company Limited.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
FIRE AND LIFE.
CAPITAL, £2,000,000.
(LIFE DEPARTMENT.)

£2 per Cent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing.
The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers.
An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters.
By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England.
Fees to Medical Referees paid by the Company.
No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement.
Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured.
Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permanent resident in Europe—

AGE.	WITHOUT PARTICIPATION.	WITH PARTICIPATION.
15	23 13 8	24 5 6
20	4 3 8	4 9 4
25	4 8 2	4 14 2
30	4 13 11	4 19 9
35	5 0 0	5 2 2
40	5 8 0	5 14 1
45	5 17 11	6 4 0
50	6 11 7	6 18 3
55	7 11 1	8 0 4
60	8 16 0	9 8 7

N.B. Intermediate ages charged proportionally.
For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to
ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, September 8, 1864.

LIFE ASSURANCE.
THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Life Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to Head Office, as was previously required by the Board.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE.
ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding One Month, 1/4 per cent.
Above One Month and not exceeding Three Months, 1/2 " " "
Above Three Months and not exceeding Six Months, 3/4 " " "
Above Six Months, The full Annual Rate of 1 per cent.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.
THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EFFECTS, therein contained.
In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged; and in cases of Residences so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent.
The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz:—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents, 1/4 per cent.
Other Dwelling-Houses (not so situated) and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.
First Class China Houses and their Contents, 1 1/4 per cent.
Other Risks as per special arrangement.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, August 1866.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.
RAYNAL & Co.
Macao, Aug. 4, 1866.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL ASSURANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz:—
On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein— in Hongkong, \$50,000; in Macao \$45,000.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.
Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA.
ESTABLISHED 1834.
Subscribed Capital, £2500,000.
Accumulated Funds exceed £306,000.
THE Undersigned are empowered to accept LIFE ASSURANCES in the above Society. Full particulars given on application.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, February 21, 1865.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
A DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent has been declared on the Net Premium contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September, 1866.
Policy HOLDERS will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned.
RUSSELL & Co.,
Secretaries.
Hongkong, September 7, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Fouchow and Shanghai.
In addition to the usual brokerage, this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy-holder.
RUSSELL & Co.,
Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks, at the current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named COMPANY are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE.)
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matchboxes, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.
Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.
If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.
For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or for any other information apply to
ARNOLD KARBURG & Co.
Agents Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
NOTICE.
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the Annual Rate.
Above one month and not exceeding three months, 1/2 " " "
Above three months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above six months, the full Annual Rate.
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, August 1866.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.
RAYNAL & Co.
Macao, Aug. 4, 1866.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL ASSURANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz:—
On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein— in Hongkong, \$50,000; in Macao \$45,000.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.
Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, August 1866.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
GUARDIAN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in future for Short Period Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/4 per cent.
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/2 " " "
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.,
Agents, Guardian Assurance Company.
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.
NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the Annual Rate.
Above one month and not exceeding three months, 1/2 " " "
Above three months and not exceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above six months, the full annual rate.
TURNER & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

Docks.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
CAPITAL—\$750,000.
IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA are in full working order, and the attention of Ship-owners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repair of Vessels.
The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public.
ABERDEEN DOCK.
DOCK No. 1.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 380 feet.
Breadth, 80 " "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18 1/2 " "
do. Neap Tides, 16 " "

NEW DOCK, No. 2.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 400 feet.
Breadth, 80 " "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24 " "
do. Neap Tides, 21 1/2 " "

WHAMPOA DOCKS.
DOCK A.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 550 feet.
Breadth, 80 " "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 10 1/2 at 17 ft. " "
do. Neap Tides, 13 1/2 at 15 " "

DOCK B.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 340 feet.
Breadth, 60 " "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18 " "
do. Neap Tides, 15 " "

DOCK C.
Built of Wood.
Length, 200 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14 " "
do. Neap Tides, 11 " "

DOCK D.
Length, 164 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12 1/2 " "
do. Neap Tides, 9 1/2 " "

DOCK E.
Length, 120 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 11 " "
do. Neap Tides, 8 " "

DOCK F.
D and E are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.
The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repair of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shop is supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.
Powerful Lifting Beams stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT.
The company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steamships for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRI.
Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, executed with the utmost despatch.
STORES.
The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessities for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c., &c.
STEAM TUG.
The Company's powerful Steam Tug Fame (100 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow Sailing Vessels from Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.
For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Company, d'Agillar Street, Hongkong.
JOHN S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.

N.B.—The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.
Hongkong, October 18, 1866.

For Sale.

3.—The Consignees or Master of any
steaming vessel, or to complain of the work-
ing of the Docks, or in any way respecting
dock arrangements, should address the
Secretary on the subject—when their com-
plaint will receive the immediate attention of
the Directors of the Company.
Hongkong, October 13, 1866,

above 1 ounce and not ex-	ceeding 1½ ounce,	36	"
above 1½ ounce and not ex-	ceeding 2 ounces,	48	"
for every additional ½ oz.,	12		"

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Singapore, February 6, 1895

Alle nur mit interinistischen
Scheine-Certificaten versehenen norddeut-
schen Schiffe haben indessen sofort ihre
Fähigkeit in der Heimath zu bewirken.
Königlich Preussisches General Consulat,
TETTENBORN

at Current Rates, or deliver the
 under Contract, at Hongkong and any
 Port in China.
 The Depot drawing supplies from the
 Mines only, intends to provide a super-
 article, free of the Surface Coal that
 hitherto prejudiced consumers.
MILLSCH & Co.,
Agents.

made and repaired on the Premises.

**HOUSE-KEEPERS & SHIP
MASTERS.**
ERSON & HANDLEY,
use and Ship Plumbers; Copper
Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters,
16, Queen's Road West, and

ES HOLLIN & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.
LUM. & Co.'s HOCK & MOSELLE,
s. and pts.
lingworth's SHERRY and PORT.
AMBERTIN, WHISKEY.
te & Price's BRANDY.
off's ALE, draught and bottle,
ULAY & GUINNESS' STOUT.
GES & Sons' PORTER.

Composition NAILS,
 AMPAGNE. }
 LL HOCK. }
 RT WINE. }
 GNAC. }
 RGUNDY. }
 ia PALE ALE. }
 STOUT. }
 apply to

In glass, all of super-
 rior quality.

Shipping.

FOR VICTORIA & PORT TOWNSEND,
(Pilot Service).
The British ship
"SARAH MARSH"
Captain Morton, will have
early despatch as above.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, May 6, 1868.

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.
The A. 1 British barque
"ATREVIDA"
Captain Bissier, having the
greater portion of her cargo
engaged, will have quick
despatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

STEAM TO
SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ship
"FORMOSA"
will have quick despatch for the above
port.
W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.
Taking Cargo for Nagasaki and Yokohama.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ship
"ADEN"
will leave for the above places at Noon, on
MONDAY, the 18th instant.
W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI AND
YOKOHAMA.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ship
"ELLORA"
will leave for the above places about 24
hours after the arrival of the next English
Mail.
W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

Notices to Consignees.

S. S. "ARRATON APGAR" FROM
CALCUTTA.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-
formed that the same will be landed
and stored in the godowns of the Under-
signed, Cotton and Saltpetre at Wandui,
Oyama in Aberdeen Street, and will all be
ready for delivery on and after the 15th
instant. The Cargo is stored at vessel's
expense but at shippers' risk.
All Cargo not taken delivery of before
the 20th inst., will be charged godown
rent for as follows: Opium \$1 per chest per
month, Cotton 10c. per bale per month,
Saltpetre 5c. per plant per month.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents S.S. "Arraton Apgar".
Hongkong, May 12, 1868.

"WINDWARD" FROM NEW YORK.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Under-
signed, and take immediate deliv-
ery of their Goods.
Those having the option of delivery at
this or Shanghai are requested to state at
once, at which port delivery will be taken.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel
will be landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.
OLYPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, May 5, 1868.

THE following cases have been landed
and stored at the risk and expense of
the Consignees, who are requested to take
immediate delivery.
Ex "Dunlop," 7th January, 1868.
1 Basket Feathers.
Ex "Dunlop," 7th January, 1868.
1 Case Paper.
Ex "Imperial," 7th April.
8 Cases Liquors.
N C 1/2.
Do Rostang, 1 Parcel Gold.
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.
Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

WE have authorized Mr. CHAS. BUDDE
to sign our Firm from this date.
DREYER & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
ROBERT WILKINSON in our Firm, ceased
on the 31st March, 1868.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, April 10, 1868.

MR. RYLE HOLME has been admitted
a partner in our Firm.
GLOVER & Co.
Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

MY Business, as Ship and Insurance
Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto
carried on by myself, will henceforward be
conducted under the style or Firm of J. S.
Hoon, Son & Co.
J. S. HOON.
Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
BURNER PALANZES KANZE in our Firm
in Hongkong and Shanghai ceased
on the 27th of October last, and the busi-
ness hitherto carried on by us at this place
is closed from this date.
F. F. C. MA & Co.
Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. A.
FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the
1st day of November, 1868.
A. FERGUSON & Co.

THIS Business will be henceforth carried
on under the same name by the Un-
der-
A. D. MITCHELL,
J. D. MYERS, and
HENRY FEHRS.
Hongkong, December 15, 1867.

MR. THOMAS PYKE has this day been
admitted a partner in our Firm.
BIRLEY & Co.
Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

MR. SIDNEY DEACON is authorized to
sign our Firm per procuration from
this date.
DEACON & Co.
Canton, February 1, 1868.

MR. BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD
was admitted a Partner in our Firm
on 1st January, 1868.
J. McDONALD & Co.,
Shipwrights.
Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

THE connection of the Under-
signed with the Firm of Messrs. THOS. HUNT & Co.
ceased from this date.
J. M. ARMSTRONG.
Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

FROM and after this date Mr. GEORGE F.
BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the
Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this
Port.
S. L. PRELPS,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

MR. R. J. MURRAY FORBES is autho-
rized to sign our name at Canton from
this date.
RUSSELL & Co.
China, February 15, 1868.

FROM and after this date, Captain J. O.
SAUNDERS will undertake the Business
of my Marine Surveying at this Port.
H. J. DRING,
Marine Surveyor.
Fochow, August 1, 1867.

WITH reference to the above, the
business hitherto carried on by
H. J. DRING, Esq. at Fochow will be
conducted by the Under-
J. C. SAUNDERS,
Chop Min,
Pagoda Anchorage,
Fochow.

I HAVE this day established myself at
this Port as a Public Tea Inspector and
General Commission Agent under the Style
or Firm of JOHN ODELL & Co.
JOHN ODELL.
Fochow, April 13, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
EMIL MAINTZ and Mr. JAMES WHEATLEY
in our Firm ceased on 30th April last, and
Mr. FREDERICK O. ADAMS and Mr. LEOPOLD
KARN are this day admitted as Partners.
REISS & Co.
China and Japan, May 1, 1868.

I HAVE established myself at this Port
as a General Storekeeper and Commis-
sion Agent.
JAMES EDWARDS.
80, Yokohama, March 19, 1868.

HOBBSON & Co.,
PUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING
AND GENERAL BROKERS,
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Kobe, Hiro, Japan.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased
on the 31st day of December, 1867.
A. FERGUSON & Co.
Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
W. C. VAN COORDT in our Firm ceased
on the 1st January, 1868.
ROSMAN & Co.
Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

I have this day established myself as a Gen-
eral Commission Merchant under the
style or Firm of VAN COORDT & Co.
(Sd)
W. C. VAN COORDT.
Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

I HAVE established myself at this port as
General Commission Merchant, under
the Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER
& Co.
GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.
Saigon, December 20, 1867.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
ELDERED HALTON in our Firm ceased
on the 20th June last, and Mr. JAMES PEN-
DER DUNSMAN was admitted a Partner
on the 1st July.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, January 11, 1868.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET.
THE House No. 14, Shelley Street,
adjoining the Club Lusitana. Rent
moderate.
Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
63, Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, May 8, 1868.

TO LET.
THE Premises situated in Queen's Road,
Stanley Street, and at present occu-
pied by Messrs. H. MARSH & Co.
For particulars, apply to
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO LET.
THE whole of the Second Floor now
occupied by the Under-
signed, situated at Peddar's Wharf, comprising Dining
Room and Pantry and fifteen Bed Rooms.
Also,
One half of the First Floor suitable for
Offices.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

TO LET.
A HOUSE in Queen's Road, commanding
a good view of the Harbour from the
North side. The House contains eight good
Rooms with Bath Rooms, Verandahs, front
and back, Kitchens, Servant's Rooms and
Godowns on ground Floor.
Apply to
TURNER & Co.
Hongkong, February 8, 1868.

Houses and Lands.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET.
RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, sit-
uated on the Rise of the Hill,
Westward, and an easy distance from the
Queen's Road. Apply to
MR. BARRINGTON,
Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

TO LET.
WO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace,
Spring Gardens, with or without Go-
downs, rent moderate.
Apply to
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO BE LET.
TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on
Marine Lot No. 63.
Apply to
GAVIN THOMPSON,
at GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s.
Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET.
A HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing
four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent,
\$28 per month.
Apply at the Victoria Foundry.
Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

TO BE LET.
Furnished or Unfurnished.
THE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at
present occupied by Mr. R. Masson.
Occupation can be had in a few weeks.
Application can be made to Mr. Masson at
the Albany.
Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

TO LET.
TWO Fine Houses marked C and D in Hol-
lywood Road, Hongkong, facing the
Hotel d'Europe, and commanding a full
view of the Harbour. Also two fine Houses
on the Praya Grande, Macao.
Immediate possession.
Apply to
Messrs. A. A. de MELLO & Co.,
or to
Messrs. ROZARIO & Co.,
Macao, April 18, 1868.

TO LET.
(Furnished).
A Nifty ROOM in the best part of
Wyndham Street.
Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
No. 63, Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

STORAGE.
AN be had in First Class & remote Go-
downs at Wandui, on very moderate
Terms.
For particulars, apply to
CHARLES RIVINGTON,
At Messrs. LAMBERT & Co.'s Office,
Stanley Street.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

TO LET.
FOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor
above the Office of the Under-
signed, 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by
Messrs. C. Hook & Co. Possession can be
taken on the 1st of January, 1868.
For Terms, &c., apply to
G. DUBOST & Co.
Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

TO BE LET,
TOGETHER OR A LEASE.
OR TO BE SOLD.
HOSE 3 Substantially-built HOUSES,
in Tai-ping-shan Street, Nos. 16, 18,
and 20, at the head of West Street.
These HOUSES were entirely re-built in
1866 and are close to the New Gambling
House in No. 100 Hollywood Road. The
same command a view over the entire Har-
bour.
The Lot is registered in the Land Office
as Island Lot 241 A, contains 1,340 square
feet, and the Annual Crown Ground Rent
is \$22.
For further particulars, apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co.,
or to H. D. MARGESSON,
Rua Central, Macao.
Hongkong, April 11, 1868.

TO BE LET.
ON A LEASE.
ALL that Large Plot of GROUND at
West Point, near the Sailor's Home
and enclosed by a substantial brick wall,
known as the French Marine Lot and regis-
tered in the Land Office as Marine Lot
No. 109. Measuring on the Praya and the
South side, each 170 feet, and on the East
and West sides, each 250 feet; containing
42,500 square feet.
This plot of Ground facing the Praya is
admirably adapted for a Coal or Timber
Yard, or for a Ship Building or Manufac-
turing Establishment.
For further particulars, apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co.,
or to H. D. MARGESSON,
Rua Central, Macao.
Hongkong, April 11, 1868.

TO LET.
HE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly
occupied by Messrs. ARNOLD, KAN-
me & Co., consisting of Dwelling House,
Office, and spacious Godowns.
Possession to be had on the 1st March.
Apply to
JOHN BURD & Co.
Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

TO LET.
N. 3, PECHILI TERRACE,
Elgin Street.
Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

TO LET.
THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at
the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen
Streets, and at present in the occupation of
Messrs. ELMENHOUT & SARGENT.
For particulars, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

TO LET.
LIGHTHOUSE and STORAGE.
THE Under-
signed will undertake to land
Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-
chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive
the same on STORAGE in First-class Gran-
ite godowns, on Moderate Terms.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

New Advertisements.

CONSIGNEES of WEMYSS CASTLE
B. (in diamond), 1/84, 84 casks BEER,
shipped by J. J. STONE & Co., are hereby
informed that the same have been landed
and stored at their risk and expense.
BIRLEY & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 16, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co. will
sell by Public Auction, on
TUESDAY,
the 19th May, 1868, at Noon, at their
Sales Rooms, Queen's Road Central,—
An Invoice of Cutlery, comprising: Pen
and Pocket Knives, Daggers, Scissors,
etc., etc., 200 dozen Eau de Cologne and
Lavender Water, 2 cases Assorted Toilet
Perfumery, 4 cases Assorted Toilet Soaps,
10 cases Assorted Confectionery, 20 cases
Carbines and Rifles, 2,000 tins 3 F Gun-
powder, 300 dozen Woman's Stockings,
5 pieces Black Merino, 20 pieces Light
Spring Flannels, 10 cases California But-
ter in tins, 15 cases Prime Dutch Cheese,
3 cases English Cheese, 10 cases 1/2 pints
Champagne, 40 cases Pale Ale, 120 doz.
Claret, 30 cases Ginger Brandy, 30 casks
quarts Porter, 25 pieces Black Orleans,
20 pieces White Linen, 10 Fairbank's
Scales (assorted sizes), 40 drums Boiled
Linsed Oil, 25 cases quarts Champagne,
60 cases Schiedam Gin (large bottles), 25
Pocket Revolvers and Ammunition, 500
mille Percussion Caps; and other GOODS.
Terms of Sale.—Cash before delivery
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
Hongkong, May 16, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co. have
received instructions to sell by
Public Auction, on
TUESDAY,
the 19th May, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M.,
at Messrs. MELCHERS & Co.'s Godowns,
For account of whom it may concern,
Ex "WEMYSS CASTLE,"
M & C \$225/238, Two bales Habit Cloth,
64/66 inches, each containing 10 pieces.
More or less damaged by sea water.
Terms of Sale.—Cash before delivery
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
Hongkong, May 16, 1868.

CONSUL DE FRANCE.
LES 4 et 8 Juin prochain, il sera procé-
dé à Saigon, pour le compte de la Marine
Impériale, à l'adjudication de la fourniture.
1o—De trois millions de kilogrammes
environ, de charbonne terre d'Australie en
roches.
2o—De différents articles de matériel
naval, matières grasses, torres, quincaillerie
&c.
Hongkong, 2 Mai 1868.
Le Comte de France,
HENRY DU CHESNE.

SAYLE & Co.,
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
INVITE inspection of their New and well
assorted summer Stock of
Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS.
Naval and Military CLOTHS.
Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS.
Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.
Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c.
Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS.
The Tailoring Department under
the management of first class Eng-
lish Cutters.
TIES and SCARFS in great variety.
The new shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS.
Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS.
PAJAMAS.
Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS.
HOSIERY of all kinds.
Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in
Various Shapes.
Household LINENS of every description.
A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS
of the latest Patterns.
French Printed CAMBRICS.
Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy
Silk GAUZES.
Grenadines and other New Fabrics
Embroidered, Printed and Made-up
SKIRTS.
GRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES
and LACES of all descriptions.
Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS.
Flowers, FEATHERS, &c.
Ladies' and Children's UNDER-
CLOTHING.
Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY.
Lisle and Silk GLOVES, &c.
Lace and Muslin CURTAINS.
Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION.
BRITISH CONSULATE,
CANTON, 8th April, 1868.
HE Under-
signed has been instructed by
Sir Rutherford Alcock, K.C.B., Her
Majesty's Minister in China, &c., &c., to
obtain the views of those interested in the
trade of Canton regarding the establish-
ment of a Bonded Warehouse, and would
feel obliged by any information on the
subject they will favour him with either
separately or collectively.
D. B. ROBERTSON,
Consul.

TO LET.
AN OFFICE with Godown and Cam-
pradore's Room.
Apply to
MELCHERS & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAIL WITH CLOVES.—
For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL-
CUTTA.
Per "REITER," on Thursday next, the
21st instant, at 3 P.M.
For MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.—
Per "DAYSPRING," on Monday, the
18th instant, at 4 P.M.
For SAN FRANCISCO.—
Per "REYNARD," on Saturday, the
23rd instant.

For MANILA.
Per H. C. M. steamer "D. ANTONIO
ESANO," at 7.30 A.M. To mor-
row, the 17th instant.
For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL-
CUTTA.
Per "ARRATON APGAR," on Thurs-
day next, the 21st instant, at 3 P.M.
For SHANGHAI.
Per "IDEN," on Monday next, the
18th instant, at 11 A.M.

For MANILA.
Per "SAN LORENZO," on Monday
next, the 18th instant, at 4 P.M.
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.—
Per "YASSO," on Sunday next, the
17th instant, at 9 A.M.

MAILS BY THE "BENARES."
The Contract Packet "BENARES" will
be despatched with the usual Mails for
Europe, &c., on FRIDAY, the 23rd
May, at 7 A.M., and the Post Office
will be open for the reception of Ord-
inary Letters, Letters for Registration,
Newspapers, Books, &c., until 9 P.M.
on the 23rd inst. Letters, &c. may be
posted in the night box from 9 P.M. on
the 23rd inst. until 5 A.M. on the fol-
lowing morning.

All Letters posted between 5 and 6 A.M. on
the 23rd May will be chargeable, in
addition to the usual postage, with a
Late Fee of 18 cents.
The latest time for posting Letters at this
Office is 6 A.M. for Newspapers,
Books, or Patterns 5 A.M. on the 23rd
May.

Further, late letters (but Letters only) ad-
dressed to the United Kingdom via
Marseilles or to Singapore, may be
posted on board the Packet from 6.30
to 6.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee
of 48 cents each, in addition to the
postage, after which no Letters can be
received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence
of Box Holders will be received at the
window set apart for the purpose, on
the East Side of the building.
All correspondence for places to which pre-
payment is compulsory must be prepaid
in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to
the United Kingdom will be sent on,
charged with a fine of One Shilling in
addition to the postage.
Letters posted after 5 A.M. on the 20th May
will not be forwarded unless the Late
Fee as well as the postage is prepaid.
Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped
addressed to places to which they can-
not be forwarded unpaid, will be open-
ed and returned to the writers as early
as possible, but no guarantee can be
given that such Letters, if posted after
9 P.M. on the 23rd inst., will be return-
ed until after the mail is closed.

Postage Stamps should be placed on the
upper right hand corner of the corres-
pondence, except in cases where they
may be used in payment of "Late Fees,"
when the Stamp or Stamps represent-
ing the late fee should be placed on the
lower left hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dol-
lar will be conducted in the Coins pre-
scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the
Proclamation of the 22nd January,
1864, and no other Coins, but those
therein specified will either be received
or given in change as fractional parts
of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made
in the current Dollars of the Colony or
Bank Notes.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, May 15, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH.
For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.—
Per "REITER," on Thursday next, the 21st in-
stant, at 4 P.M.
For MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.—Per "Day-
spring," on Monday, the 18th instant.
For SAN FRANCISCO.—Per "Reynard," on
Saturday, the 23rd instant.
For MANILA.—Per H. C. M. steamer "D.
Antonio Esano," at 8 A.M. To-morrow, the
17th instant.

QUOTATIONS.
HONGKONG, 16th May, 1868.
OPIMUM.—Patna, New, 5037
Old, 505
Benares, New, 505
Malwa, 505
COTTON.—Bombay, 204 offered
Calcutta, 204 offered

Exchange.
Bank 6 months' sight, 4/4
Credits, 6 4/4
On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 219
" Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 217
" Shanghai, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 72
Bar Silver, 17 dwt. B., 11 1/2 per c. pro.
Sycow, 9.90 per c. pro.
Mexicans, 24.45 per c. pro.
Gold Leaf, 98 touch, 24
English Sovereigns, 4.80
Australian Sovereigns, 4.80
Discount, 9

H. & W. pos. dock, Old, 14 per cent pm.
Do. do. Now, 6 per cent pm.
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 15 per cent pm.
Do. do. Now, 21
Hongkong Hotel Shares, 32 1/2 per cent dis.
Union Dock Shares, 15 per cent dis.

Temperatures.
HONGKONG, 16th May, 1868.
Barometer, 30.020 29.932
Attached Thermometer, 80 84
Dry Bulb, 75.0 76.0
Wet Bulb, 73.0 76.0
Maximum S. Rgr., 78.0 84.0
Minimum S. Rgr., 73.0 73.0
Max. Sun's Rays, 72.0
Minimum on Grass, 72.0
Frost on Rain on Grass, 1.05
24 hours, 1.05
Wind, 8.3 E.
Force, 1 3
Cloud, 10 3
Dew, 5 4
W. with, Dull Fine.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES ON SUNDAYS

IN HONGKONG.
St. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.—Morning, 11
o'clock.—Rev. W. R. Beach, M.A., Col-
onial Chaplain. Afternoon 5 o'clock.—Rev.
C. F. Warren.
UNION CHURCH.—Minister, Rev. D. B.
Morris. Morning Service, 11 A.M.; Even-
ing, 6.30 P.M.
St. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHAPEL.—(Ser-
vice in Chinese.) Morning 10 o'clock.—
Rev. C. F. Warren, Rev. Lo Sen Yuen.
Afternoon 3 o'clock.—The same.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL.—Welling-
ton Street. Very Rev. T. Rainaldi, P. P.
Ap. In the morning, at 5.30, 1st Mass;
6.30, 2nd Mass; 6.30, Service in English, by
the Rev. T. Bourghoul; 7.30, 3rd Mass;
8.30, Last Mass. In the afternoon, at 1,
Sermon in Chinese by the Rev. S. Chu; at
3.30, Sermon in Portuguese; 6, Benedic-
tion.

St. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHAPEL.—Spring
Garden. In the morning, at 7, Mass with
Sermon in Chinese, by the Rev. P. Yan.
At the Roman Catholic Refectory,
West Point, Rev. B. Vignone. Service at
7.30 A.M.

BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE.—Service in
the German language, by Pastor E. Klitzke,
on every Sunday, at half past ten A.M., in
the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,
West Point.

SAILOES' HOME.—Evening Service, at
6 P.M.—Rev. W. R. Beach, M.A.
CHRISTIANBATHMAN SYRAGOUS.—Lyd-
hurst Terrace. Service at 3 P.M. every
Sunday.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1868.

ASIATIC PRISONERS.

THE enquiry into the death of Abdul
Khan suggests some reflections upon the
general principles involved in maintain-
ing good discipline with Asiatics. There
is a well known tendency, upon the part
of Englishmen to rush into extremes
upon all subjects which arouse a senti-
mental feeling as to the treatment of an
inferior race; and while it is undeniable
that enthusiasm has done much to miti-
gate the sufferings of the oppressed, it be-
comes, if misdirected, a source of extreme
injustice to those who are considered as
the oppressors. With the actual case
under enquiry we have nothing to do.
The accused turnkeys are now in custody,
will probably take their trial for having
caused the death of their prisoner, and a
jury will decide whether they are in-
nocent or guilty of the crime laid to their
charge. In the present stage of the
enquiry we are unable, even if desirous,
to form an opinion on the merits of the
case, nor should we, under any circum-
stances comment upon it, so long as the
result to the accused was a matter of un-
certainty. But the event gives us an
opportunity of referring to the general
system pursued, as regards the coercion
of Asiatic prisoners, quite apart from the
question of whether the deceased met his
death by accident or crime on the part
of his keepers.

It cannot be denied that the difficul-
ties of prison discipline are immensely
increased when the subjects dealt with
come from a race intellectually and phy-
sically far below the similar strata of
European populations. Sad as are the
details, which have been made known,
of the degradation to which the lowest
classes of British subjects descend, there
is still even amongst the Arabs of our
population a certain capability of enjoy-
ment, beyond the mere "act of existence
without pain," which is almost entirely
wanting in the similarly classed Asiatic.
Solitary confinement without any occu-
pation whatever, upon a diet just suf-
ficient to support healthy life, is to most
even of our lowest criminal class more
terrible than the hardest labor. Excep-
tions doubtless exist but they only con-
firm the rule, which is admitted by all
who have studied prison life in England.
There is moreover a certain capability of
calculation amongst this class which leads
them to comprehend that good behavior
may result in privileges; nay it frequ-
ently happens that the most dangerous and
utterly blackguardly portion of our pri-
son

DESTRUCTION OF THE MADRID INQUISITION.

Some years ago, at a temperance meeting in the South, there stood a tall, erect, and vigorous speaker, with the glow of health in his face. He said: "You see before you a man 70 years old. I have fought two hundred battles, have fourteen wounds on my body, have lived thirty days on horse-flesh with the bark of trees for my bread, snow and ice for my drink, the canopy of heaven for my covering, without stockings or shoes on my feet, and with only a few rags for my clothing. In the deserts of Egypt, I have marched for days with a burning sun upon my naked head; feet blistered in the scorching sand, with eyes, nostrils, and mouth filled with dust, and with thirst so tormenting that I tore open the veins of my arms and sucked my own blood! Do you ask, how could I survive all these horrors? I answer, that, next to the kind providence of God, I owe my preservation, my health and vigour, to this fact, that I never drank a drop of spirituous liquor in my life."

I at once inquired the name of the speaker, and learned that it was Colonel Leharmanousky, of whose lectures on the Life and Character of Napoleon I had read accounts. I felt a desire to become further acquainted with his strange history. And a slight accident which he met with the very next day, caused him to become my patient, and so afforded me the desired opportunity. So soon as I relieved the pain which he felt, he entered freely into a conversation from which I gathered the following facts:

He had formerly been an officer under Napoleon, but had become a minister of the Lutheran Church. He remembered all the scenes of Bonaparte's times, and described them with wonderful interest. He was indeed a remarkable man; for, although past threescore and ten, he retained the erect posture, and firm step, and activity of an officer of fifty. His skin had all the softness and delicacy of middle life, while the vigor of his gigantic frame, the quickness of his eye, and the power of his voice, all indicated that it would have been no difficult thing for him, had circumstances rendered it necessary, to resume his place upon the war-horse, and again lead forth his troops to the deadly combat. His lectures I had heard represented as intensely interesting. Such I can well conceive that they were, for he was possessing a memory of remarkable tenacity, and an unusually ready utterance, he had means, such as perhaps no other living man, certainly none in this country possessed, of knowing the men and things whereof he spoke. His acquaintance with Bonaparte commenced on his first entering the army, when he found himself a private soldier under the distinguished man as his captain. For twenty-three years he served with him in various campaigns, which rendered the most intimate relations necessary, and it was only when Napoleon was confined to the Island of Elba that Colonel Leharmanousky retired from the service.

I have touched on the life of this remarkable man for the purpose of introducing to the reader a narrative, which he was kind enough to furnish me, of the destruction of the Spanish Inquisition, near Madrid, in which transaction he was the chief agent. "In the year 1808," said Colonel Leharmanousky, "being then at Madrid, my attention was directed to the Inquisition, in the neighbourhood of the city. Napoleon had previously issued a decree for the suppression of this institution, whenever his victorious troops should extend their arms to its vicinity. I reminded Marshal Soult, then governor of Madrid, of this decree, and he directed me to proceed to destroy it. I informed him that my regiment, the 9th Polish Lancers, was insufficient for such a service, but that if he would give me two additional regiments, I would undertake the work. He accordingly gave me the two required regiments, one of which, the 11th, was under the command of Colonel De Lile, who is now, like myself, a minister of the gospel. He is pastor of one of the Evangelical churches in Marseilles, France. With these troops I proceeded forthwith to the Inquisition, which was situated about five miles from the city. It was surrounded by a wall of great strength, and defended by about 400 soldiers. When we arrived at the wall, I addressed one of the sentinels, and summoned the inquisitors to surrender to the imperial army, and open the gates of the Inquisition.

"The sentinel, who was standing on the wall, appeared to enter into conversation, for a few moments, with some one within, and then shot one of my men. This was the signal for attack, and I ordered my troops to fire upon those who appeared upon the wall.

"It was soon obvious that it was an unequal warfare. The walls were covered with the soldiers of the holy office. There was also a breastwork upon the wall, behind which they kept, except as they periodically exposed themselves in order to discharge their muskets. Our troops were in the open plain, and used to a destructive fire. We had no cannon, nor could we scale the walls, and the gates successfully resisted all attempts at forcing them. I saw that it was necessary to change the mode of attack, and directed some troops to be cut down and trampled and brought on the ground, to be used as battering-rams. Two of these were taken up by detachments of men, as numerous as could work to advantage, and brought to bear upon the walls with all the power which they could exert, regardless of the deadly fire which was poured upon them. Presently the walls began to tremble, and finally a breach was made, and the Imperial troops rushed into the Inquisition. Here we met with an incident full of interest. The Inquisitor-General, followed by the confessors, all came out of their rooms, as we were making our way to the interior of the Inquisition, and with long faces and their fingers crossed over their breasts, and their hands resting on their shoulders, as though they had been deaf to all the noise of the attack and defence, and had but just learned what was going on! They addressed themselves, in the language of rebuke, to their own soldiers, saying, "Why do you fight our friends, the French?"

"Their intention, apparently was to make us think that this defence was wholly unauthorized by them, hoping that if they could produce to our minds a belief that they were friendly, they would have a better opportunity, amid the confusion and plunder, to escape.

"But their artifice was too shallow to succeed. I caused them to be placed under guard, and all the soldiers of the Inquisition to be secured as prisoners. We then proceeded to examine the prison-rooms. We passed through room after room. We found altars and crucifixes and wax tapers in abundance, but could discover no evi-

dence of cruelty having been practiced there—nothing of those peculiar features which we expected to find in an Inquisition. There was magnificence and splendour on every hand. The architectural proportions were perfect. The ceiling, and marble floors were highly polished and of exquisite design. There was everything to please the eye and gratify a cultivated taste; but where were those horrid instruments of torture, of which we had been told, and those dungeons in which human beings were said to be buried alive?

"We searched in vain. The holy Father assured us that they had been belied—that we had seen all; and I prepared to give up the search, convinced that this Inquisition was an exception to the general rule.

"But Colonel De Lile was not so ready as myself to give up the search, and said to me: 'Colonel, you are commander-to-day, and as you say so it must be; but if you will be advised by me, let this marble floor be examined more closely. Let some water be brought in and poured upon it, and we will watch and see if there is any place through which it passes more freely than elsewhere.'

"I replied to him: 'Do as you please, Colonel; and he ordered water to be brought accordingly. The slabs of marble are large and beautifully polished and well adjusted. When the water had been poured over the floor, much to the dissatisfaction of the Inquisitors, a careful examination was made of every slab in the marble to see if water passed through. Presently Colonel De Lile exclaimed that he had found it! By the side of one of these marble slabs the water passed through freely, indicating an opening beneath. All hands were now at work for further discovery, the officers with their swords, and the soldiers with their bayonets, seeking to clear out the seam and pry up the slab. Others, with the butts of their muskets, commenced striking the slab with all their might, to break it, while the others reconnoitred against our desecrating their holy and beautiful house.

"While thus engaged, a soldier, who was hammering with the butt of his musket, struck a spring, and the marble slab flew up. Then the faces of the Inquisitors grew pale, and as Belshazzar, when the hand writing appeared on the wall, so did these men of Belial quake in every bone, joint, and sinew. We looked beneath the marble slab, and saw a staircase leading to a candlestick one of the candles of which was burning, that might explore the regions beneath. As I was doing this I was arrested by one of the Inquisitors, who laid his hand gently on my arm, and with a very dejected and holy look, said: 'My son, you must not take that with your profane and bloody hand; it is holy.'

"Well, well, I said, I want something that is holy, to see if it will not shed light on inquiry; I will bear the responsibility! 'I took the candle and proceeded down the staircase. I now discovered why the water revealed to us this passage. Under the trap door, which could not be rendered close; hence the success of Colonel De Lile's experiment.

"As we reached the foot of the stairs, we entered a large square room, which was called the Hall of Judgment. In the centre of it was a large block, with a chain fastened to it. On this they had been accustomed to place the accused. On one side of the room was an elevated seat, called the Throne of Judgment. This the Inquisitor-General occupied, and on either side were seats, less elevated, for the priests, when engaged in the solemn business of the Holy Inquisition. From this room we proceeded to the right, and obtained access to small cells, extending the entire length of the edifice; and here, what a sight met our eyes! How the benign religion of Jesus had been abused and slandered by its professed friends!

"These cells were places of solitary confinement, where the wretched objects of inquisitorial hate were confined, year after year, till death released them from their sufferings. Their bodies were suffered to remain until they were entirely decayed, and the rooms unfit for others to occupy. To prevent this practice being offensive to those who occupied the Inquisition, there were fans or tubes extending to the open air, sufficiently capacious to carry off the odor from those decaying bodies.

"In these cells we found the remains of some who had paid the debt of nature. Some of them had been dead apparently but a short time, while of others nothing remained but their bones still chained to the floor of their dungeons! In others we found the living sufferers of every age and of both sexes, from the young man and maiden to those of threescore and ten years, all as naked as when they were born into the world.

"Our soldiers immediately applied themselves to releasing these captives from their chains. They stripped themselves of a part of their own clothing in order to cover these wretched bodies, and were exceedingly anxious to bring them up to the light of day. But aware of the danger, I ordered my troops to be brought gradually to the light, as they could bear it.

"When we had examined the cells, and opened the doors of those who yet survived we proceeded to explore another room on the left. Here we found the instruments of torture, of every kind which the ingenuity of men or devils could invent. At the sight of these the fury of our soldiers redoubled any longer to be restrained. They declared that every inquisitor, monk, and soldier of the establishment deserved to be put to the torture. We did not attempt any longer to restrain them. Accordingly, they commenced at once the work of torture upon the inquisitors. I remained till I saw four different kinds of torture applied to them, and then retired from the awful scene which ended not so long as one remained upon whom they could wreak revenge.

There was a joyful shout from thousands of excited beholders, as the walls and massive towers of that proud edifice fell, and smoke and flame, to rise never more in defiance of the attributes of justice and mercy for the Inquisition of Madrid was no more!

A HUGENOT SETTLEMENT.

[FROM SMITH'S HUGENOTS.]

To occupy his spare time for Fontaine was a man of an intensely active temperament, unhappy when unemployed—he took a farm at Bantary Bay, nearly at the extreme south-west of Munster, the very Land's End of Ireland. For the purpose of founding a fishery. The idea occurred to him, as it has since occurred to others, that there were many hungry people on land waiting to be fed, and shoals of fish at sea waiting to be caught, and that it would be a useful enterprise to form a fishing company, and induce the idle people to put to sea and catch the fish, selling to others the surplus beyond what was necessary to feed them. Fontaine succeeded in inducing most of the French merchants settled in London to join him in the venture; and he himself went to reside at Bantary, and superintended the operations of the company. The people would rather starve than go to sea, for Colles are by nature averse to salt water; and the consequence was that the company made no progress. Fontaine had even to defend himself against the pillaging of the natives. He then brought some 12 French refugees families to settle in the neighbourhood, having previously taken small farms for them, including Dursley Island; but the Irish gave them no peace nor rest, and they left him before the end of three years. The local court would give Fontaine no redress when any injury was done him. If his property was stolen and he appealed to the court, his complaint was referred to a jury of Papists, who invariably decided against him; whereas if the natives made any claim upon him, they were sure to recover. Notwithstanding these great discouragements, Fontaine held to his purpose, and determined, if possible, to establish his fishing station. He believed that time would work in his favour, and that it might be possible to educate the people into habits of industry. He was well supported by the Government, who observing his zealous efforts to establish a new branch of industry, and desirous of giving him increased influence in the neighbourhood, appointed him justice of the peace. In this capacity he was found very useful in keeping down the "Tories," and breaking up the connection between them and the French privateers who then frequented the coast. Knowing his liability to attack, Fontaine converted his residence at Bantary into a sort of fort, not without cause, as the result proved. In June, 1704, a French privateer entered Bantary Bay and proceeded to storm the fort. The lame Fontaine, by the courage and ability of his defence, showed himself a commander of no mean skill. John Madingley, a Scotchman, and Paul Bonnier, a French refugee, showed great bravery on the occasion; while Madame Fontaine, who acted as aide-de-camp and surgeon, distinguished herself by her quiet courage. The engagement lasted from eight in the morning till four in the afternoon, when the French decamped with the loss of three killed and seven wounded, spreading alarm and very wholesome fear of Fontaine and his sort. When the refugees' gallant exploit was reported to the Government, he was rewarded by a pension of five shillings a day for beating off the privateer, and supplied with five guns which he was authorized to mount on his battery. Fontaine was not allowed to hold his post unmolested. It was at the remotest corner of Ireland, far from any town, and surrounded by a hostile population, in league with his enemy, whose ships were constantly hovering about the coast. In the year following the above engagement, while Fontaine himself was absent in London, a French ship entered Bantary Bay and cautiously approached Bearhaven. Fontaine's wife was, however, on the lookout, and detected the foreigner. She fired the guns loaded and aimed from any town, and entered the garrison was on the alert. The Frenchman then veered off and made for Bear Island, where a party of the crew landed, stole some cattle, which they put on board, and sailed away again. A more serious assault was made on the fort about two years later. A company of soldiers was then quartered at the Half Battery in the neighbourhood, the captain of which boarded with the refugees family. On the 7th of October, 1708, during the temporary absence of Fontaine as well as the captain, a French privateer made his appearance in the bay, and hoisted English colours. The ensign, residing in the fort at the time, deceived by the stratagem, went on board, when he was immediately made a prisoner. He was plied with drink and became intoxicated, when he revealed the fact that there was no officer in command of the fort. The crew of the privateer were principally Irish, and they determined to attack the place at midnight, for which purpose they waited till then landed. Fontaine had, however, by this time returned and was on the alert. He hailed the advancing party through a speaking trumpet, and, no answer being returned, he ordered fire to be opened on them. The assailants then divided into two detachments, one of which he directed to the office and stables; the household servants under the direction of his dame Fontaine, protected the house from conflagration. The men within fired from the windows and loopholes, and the smoke was so thick that they could only fire at random. Some of the privateer's men succeeded in making a breach with a crowbar in the wall of the house; but they were saluted with so rapid a fire through the opening that they supposed there must be a party of soldiers inside, and they retired. They advanced and summoned the besieged to surrender, offering fair terms. Fontaine approached the French for the purpose of parley, when one of the Irish lieutenants took aim and fired at him. This breach made the Fontaines resume the defensive, which they continued for some hours when no help arriving, Fontaine found himself under the necessity of surrendering, conditional upon himself and his two sons, with their two followers, marching out of the house at once. No sooner, however, had the house surrendered, than Fontaine, his sons, and their followers, were given up to plunder. Fontaine protested against this violation of the treaty, but it was of no use. The leader of the French party said to him, "Your name has become so notorious among the privateers of St. Malo that I dare not return to the

vessel without you. The captain's order was peremptory to bring you on board dead or alive." Fontaine and his sons were accordingly taken on board as prisoners; and when he appeared on deck the crew set up a shout of "Vive le Roi." On this, Fontaine called out to them, "Gentlemen, how long is it since victories have become so rare in France that you need to make a great triumph of such an affair as this? A glorious fact indeed! Eighty men, accustomed to war have succeeded in compelling one poor pastor, four clerics and five children to surrender upon terms?" Fontaine again expostulated with the captain, and informed him that, being held a prisoner in breach of treaty under which he had surrendered, he must be prepared for the retaliation of the English Government upon French prisoners of war. The captain would not, however, give up Fontaine without a ransom, and demanded £100. Madame Fontaine contrived to borrow £30, and sent it to the captain, with a promise of the remainder; but the captain could not wait, and he liberated Fontaine, but carried off his son Pierre to St. Malo, as a hostage for the payment of the balance. When the news of this attack of the fort at Bearhaven reached the English Government, and they were informed of the violation of the conditions under which Fontaine had surrendered, they ordered the French officers at Kinsale and Plymouth to be put in irons until Fontaine's son was sent back. This produced an immediate effect. In the course of a few weeks Pierre Fontaine was set at liberty, and returned to his parents, and the balance of the ransom was never claimed. The commander of the forces in Ireland made Fontaine an immediate grant of £100, to relieve him in the destitute state to which he had been reduced by the plunder of his dwelling; the county of Cork afterwards paid him £800 as damages, on its being proved that Irishmen had been principally concerned in the attack and robbery of the Fontaines' two sons, were awarded the position and rights of half-pay officers, while his own pension was continued. The fort at Bearhaven, having been completely desolated, was abandoned; and Fontaine, with the grant made him by Government, and the sum awarded him by the county, left the lawless neighbourhood which he had so long laboured to improve and to defend, and proceeded to Dublin, where he settled for the remainder of his life as a teacher of languages, mathematics, and fortification. The school proved highly successful, and he ended his days in peace. His noble wife died in 1721, and he himself followed her shortly after, respected and beloved by all who knew him.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A STORY has been going the round of the papers so good that we suspect it cannot be new, most good stories being old stories. A couple presented themselves at church to be married. The clergyman, proceeding that the bridegroom was drunk, refused to perform the ceremony, and after administering a reprimand to him, told the bride to return with him the next day. The couple did return the next day, when the bridegroom appeared to be even more drunk than he had been the day before. The clergyman then addressed the bride, and asked her how she could think of uniting herself to such a confirmed sot. The girl replied with touching sincerity, "Will is not a confirmed sot, sir; but what he is sober he does not want to marry me, and cannot help bringing him here drunk if I am to marry him at all."

The Mayor of Newport, in Monmouthshire, instigated by the French vice-consul in that city, has been emulating M. Pictet in his anxiety to maintain the Imperial prestige in Wales. Mr. Howard Paul, the mayor, being about to give a series of representations in Newport, advertised himself by janitor and ambulant, and when he was represented in the character of Napoleon III. The likeness not appearing to the French vice-consul to be flattering to the Emperor, that functionary applied to the mayor, who directed the head of the police to cause all the alleged libels on the Imperial physiognomy to be torn down or covered. But Mr. Howard Paul explained that the obnoxious woodcut was copied from a likeness of the Emperor which he had sold in the streets of Paris, and objected that the most decided caricatures of his Majesty in France are sold at every book-stall in the United Kingdom. The result of the mayor's indiscretion was that Newport was more extensively placarded than ever, not only with caricatures of the French Emperor, but with aquibs ridiculing the mayor and his subordinates; and it is probable that in future his worship will take good care not to interfere with Mr. Howard Paul's posters.

A TERRIBLE misunderstanding has recently arisen between two of the principal corps in the British army on the important question of precedence. The officers of the Life Guards assert that their regiments, embodied at the Restoration, have by antiquity of title alone, to say nothing of their special duties, the right of taking rank of all services; while the Royal Horse Artillery claim the chief place, the mounted representatives of the Ordnance Corps. Some artillerymen have even gone so far as to throw a doubt upon the claim put forward by the Life Guards. The old troops of Life Guards, composed of men of rank and position who performed the brilliant exploits under William III. so glowingly described by Corporal Trim, were, with the Horse Grenadiers, disbanded in 1788, and the present regiments were then established. The old Life Guardsmen are said to have looked down upon the new corps, and to have unamously refused to accept a service in them, but the private troopers were still held to be gentlemen, and are up to the present day mustered by the title of Mr. We are informed that the matter in dispute was finally referred to the Commander-in-Chief, who, after a careful consideration of the arguments urged on both sides of the question, decided that armed soldiers should lead the way. Henceforth, therefore, the Royal Horse Artillery will take precedence of every other corps in the British Army.

A California miner, who has barely realized a living for eleven years, dug out \$16,000 in three days' work recently. In reference to a paragraph copied from the *Pall Mall Gazette*, mentioning that the father of General McClellan, who is to represent the United States Government at the Peace Conference, "was once consigned to the lake Lord Clyde," we have been requested to state that the relationship was considerably nearer. The American General was, we are assured on good authority, himself a full cousin of our late illustrious townsman, the mother of General McClellan having been the sister of John McIlvor the father of Lord Clyde. — *Glasgow Citizen*

HONGKONG MARKET PRICES.

Saturday, May 16th, 1868.

At 1400 Cash per Dollar Mexican.

THESE MUST BE CONSIDERED EXTREME RATES.

Paras. Highest Lowest Cash

Butcher Meat.

Beef Steak, -	catty	240	200
" Roast, -	"	240	200
" Soup, -	"	140	130
Bullocks' Brains, -	per set	70	55
" Tongue, -	"	400	350
" Heart, -	"	180	160
" Tail, -	each	150	130
" Feet, -	"	70	55
" Tripe (undressed), catty		84	77
" Liver, -	"	84	77
Pork, Leg, -	"	210	180
" Chop, -	"	210	180
" Fat for Lard, -	"	150	130
" Fry, -	"	180	170
" Chitlings, -	"	95	80
" Feet, -	"	140	120
" Head, -	"	140	120
" Liver, -	"	150	125
Mutton Leg, -	lb.	420	380
" Chop, -	"	420	380
" Shoulder, -	"	300	280
Mutton Liver, -	"	220	200
" Sucking Pig, -	"	250	240
" Calves' Head and Feet, set		560	500
" Sheep's Head and Feet, set		570	500
" Bacon, English, lb.		580	480
" Fuhohau, -	"	360	320
" Hame, Chinese, -	"	510	420
" American, -	"	-	-
" English, -	"	-	-
Kidneys, Bullocks, each		60	56
" Pigs, -	"	65	60
" Sheep, -	"	85	80
" Sheep's Heart, -	"	65	60
" Pig's Heart, -	"	60	55
" Pork Sausages, catty		450	400
" Cattle Meat, -	"	300	280
" Head and Feet set, -	"	410	400

Poultry.

Geese, -	catty	224	190
Ducks, -	"	180	150
" Turkeys, -	each	250	225
" Pheasants, Cock, -	each	1000	900
" " Hen, -	"	900	800
" Pigeons, -	"	270	240
" Quail, -	"	120	100
" Poultry, -	catty	230	220
" Capons, -	"	400	300
" Hen Eggs, -	dozen	140	130
" Duck Eggs, -	"	150	140
" Salt Eggs, -	"	170	160
" Dried Ducks, -	each	-	-
" Snipe, -	"	600	550
" Partridges, -	"	1400	1200
" Rabbits, -	"	720	700
" Wild Geese, -	"	-	-
" Sand Hill Birds, -	"	-	-
" Hill Snipe, -	"	-	-
" Sparrows, -	per doz.	-	-
" Pigeons, -	each	180	160

Fish.

Live Fish, -	catty	180	120
" Eels, -	"	260	240
" Oysters, -	"	180	160
" Shrimps, -	"	170	160
" Crabs, -	"	160	140
" Prawns, -	"	224	200
" Lobsters, -	catty	200	190
" Frogs, -	"	260	250
" Small Turtles, -	"	240	200
" Large Turtles, -	"	500	400
" Large Fresh Fish, -	"	250	230
" Small do., -	"	200	160
" Mackerel Small, -	"	60	70
" Congor Eels Small, -	"	40	30
" Salt Fish, -	catty	200	120
" Small Fish, -	"	70	60
" Fresh Salmon, -	"	200	180
" Canton Salmon, -	"	150	140
" Rock Fish, -	"	250	200
" Shark Fish, -	"	160	140
" Skate, -	"	160	140
" Gurnet, -	"	160	140
" Parrot Fish, -	"	170	160
" Snake, -	"	80	70
" Fresh Water Fish, -	"	240	200
" Snipe Fish, -	"	100	90

Vegetables.

Potatoes, Macao, -	catty	86	38
" Japan, -	"	-	-
" Californian, -	"	-	-
" Sweet, -	"	15	12
" New, -	"	-	-
Yams, -	"	24	20
Cocoa, -	"	22	18
Turnip, Salt, -	"	40	32
" Carrot, Salt, -	"	80	70
" Fresh, -	each	8	10
" Spring, -	catty	18	10
" Indian Corn, -	"	120	100
" Young Bamboo shoots, -	"	150	120
" Cabbage, Large Macao, each		-	-
" Cabbage, White Canton, catty		16	10
" Common, -	"	18	10
" French, -	"	18	10
Cauliflower, -	"	-	-
" Lettuce, -	small bun.	8	5
" Celery, -	catty	30	25
" Parsley Chinese, -	"	5	4
" English, -	"	-	-
" Beans, broad, -	"	150	110
" Long, -	"	140	120
" French, -	"	120	110
" Stringed, -	"	-	-
" Tron Peas, in the Shell		100	90
" Tomatoes, -	"	50	30
" Asparagus, -	box	15	12
" Chilies, Dried, -	catty	160	150
" Green, -	"	160	140
" Garlic, -	"	40	32
" Ginger, -	"	40	32
" Soft Stuff, -	"	90	80
" Pumpkins, -	"	24	20
" Long Onions, Bombay, -	"	120	100
" Green Onions, -	bundle	32	28
" Shallots, -	catty	32	28
" Turnips, -	"	32	28
" Cucumber, -	"	32	28
" Egg Plant, -	"	32	28
" Water Cress, -	bunch	36	30
" Mushroom, Dried, -	"	800	800
" Onions, -	"	240	200
" English Turnips, -	each	80	70
" Radishes, -	catty	60	40
" Green Sprouts, -	"	30	20

Fruits.

Mandarin Oranges, -	catty	190	150
" Lemons, -	"	130	120
" Pineapples, -	each	140	120
" Pomegranates, -	each	150	120
" Pears, Canton, -	catty	150	120
" Lichees, Fresh, -	"	150	120
" Dried, -	"	-	-
" Plums, -	"	80	40
" Cocoanuts, -	each	70	65
" Pomegranates, -	"	40	36
" Wompees, -	"	210	200</

Miscellaneous.

We feel it to be a public duty to take the first opportunity of calling attention to the "Guide Book and Yachin Meeum" just issued for "travellers, merchants, and residents in general," in the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, by Messrs Shortrede & Co., of Hongkong. *** The order of description of the various places follows their position on, or from the coast, as we go northward. In each instance the history, position, means of access, accommodation, foreign residence, public buildings, community, mode of living, climate, associations, amusements, places of interest, native institutions, population, local government, natural history, productions and statistics of trade are given, along with a miscellaneous detail of facts and incidents in connection with particular localities. So far as we are able to practically test the individual descriptions of the various places they are given with a considerable degree of fulness and accuracy. Peking, Yedo, and Macao are fully included in the general survey. *** The value of the book is greatly increased by a most copious index and the work closes with a set of useful appendices. The last of these is the greatest novelty of the work. It consists of a bibliographical index of all formal works published from the earliest date in the English language on China and Japan. Philologists and botanists, for some reasons best known to the compilers, entirely excluded.

We hope to see this volume reprinted in the next edition. With the exception of the comparative thinness of the paper, the getting-up of the work is very creditable to all concerned; and we have sincere pleasure in congratulating the authors and publishers on the considerable merit of their admirable enterprise and performance.

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*Report of North China Branch of
the Royal Asiatic Society.*
March 1867.

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(*Foochow Advertiser*, May 4, 1867.)

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I have received a copy of "Notes and Queries," and this publication will be really useful, it contains much matter relating to China which otherwise would be lost, and we wish it very accurate. Sinologists, and more antiquaries and scientific men ought especially to congratulate themselves on the appearance of "Notes and Queries," as it will form their medium of communication and bring into notice what otherwise might have remained unknown and buried in themselves. Now that the London Convention has got their Gazette, Science, Occasional have got their Notes and Queries, and Missionaries their Recorder, the various divisions of mental thought and work in this land ought to be well taken care of; for our part we are glad to see these several issues, both on account of the information and instruction they afford, and the index they supply to the mental vigour of the foreign community in this land of the *(Foveaux Missionary Recorder, April, 1867.)*
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(Shanghai Record, May 17, 1897.)

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之而價平用銅包不後裝藥者皆合用
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帥國所用六响鎗彈子
在鎗中間放之小藥引
不怕水濕新樣銅帽
打雀鎗沙包
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* At Whampoa.

RECEIVING SHIPS.

Vessel.	At	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Fort William	Hongkong	B. sh.	1000	Townsend	P. & O. S. N. Steam Co
Mahamoodie	Fuchau	B. bk.	292	Oliver	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Snipe	Ningpo	B. bk.	241	Green	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Water Witch	"	B. sh.	427	Lewis	Captain Lewis
Lady Hayes	"	B. bk.	384	Partridge	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Wellington	"	B. bk.	472	Bennett	David Sassoon Sons & Co
Pathfinder	To-kau, Formosa	B. sh.	262	"	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Ternate	"	B. bk.	"	"	Dent & Co

Shipping in Harbour.

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Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of To-day's Arrivals, Departures, and Clearances.

C. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.C., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignee or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
1868.							
STEAMERS.							
Aden	WC Andrews	Brit. str.	812	May	8 P. & O. S. N. Co		
Arratoon Apear	WC Smith	Brit. str.	970	May	11 Gibb, Livingston & Co	Calcutta, &c.	
Elfin	W Shait	O. Chi. str.	200	May	5 Captain		
Ellora	WC Murray	Brit. str.	1579	May	16 P. & O. S. N. Co		
Formosa	WC Hookin	Brit. str.	675	May	14 P. & O. S. N. Co		
Kan Ka Kee	WC Keaton	Amer. str.	313	March	24 A. Heard & Co		
Reiver	Ed Holton	Brit. str.	777	May	8 Jardine, Matheson & Co	Saigon, Suez, &c.	17th, 10 a.m.
Tigre	WC Boileve	Fch. str.	1700	April	23 Messageries Imperiales		
Yesso	WC Ashton	Brit. str.	580	April	22 Douglas Laprak & Co		
SAILING VESSELS.							
Amaranth	W Fabius	N. Ger. bk.	460	May	8 Malchers & Co		
Archer	W Power	Amer. sh.	908	May	13 A. Heard & Co		
Atrevida	W Bisset	Brit. bk.	487	April	6 Rozario & Co	Melbourne and Sydney	
Belvidere	W Hower	Amer. sh.	1321	March	20 Captain		
Bertha	W Wagner	Prus. bg.	235	April	29 Wm. Pustau & Co		
Bob Tail Nag	WC Graham	Brit. sch.	170	May	7 George Holmes	Nagasaki	
Calypso	W Ring	Amer. str.	560	May	15 A. Heard & Co		
Carnarvonshire	W Hensworth	Brit. sh.	812	May	1 Holiday, Wise & Co		
Chillingham	W Dunn	Brit. bk.	462	May	6 Chinese		
Cintra	W Favacho	Port. bk.	352	May	6 Rozario & Co		
Catty Sark	W Moran	Siam. sh.	475	April	28 Chinese		
Daylight	W Smith	Siam. bk.	350	May	12 Chinese		
Dayspring	E Middleton	Brit. bk.	393	March	19 Russell & Co	Melbourne and S'ney	Early
Deerfoot	W Carlin	Brit. bk.	490	May	1 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Eleanor	WC Ronaldson	Brit. bk.	486	May	1 Douglas Laprak & Co		
Ellen Hood	W Neil	Amer. sh.	1012	May	8 A. Heard & Co		
Esperio	W Angles	Fch. bk.	278	May	2 Wm. Pustau & Co		
Estadette	W Ogilvie	Dut. bk.	424	May	6 Borneo Company	Taku	
Everest	WC Clarke	Brit. sh.	571	May	11 Gilman & Co		
Flying Cloud	E Urquhart	Brit. bg.	223	May	1 A. Heard & Co	Saigon	
Frisch	K Tutein	O. Ger. sch.	207	May	9 Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Newchwang	
George Croshaw	EC Alexander	Brit. sh.	670	May	4 Borneo Company		
Henri IV.	W Monillot	Fch. sh.	750	May	7 Order		
Isaac da Costa	W Kallio	Dut. bk.	600	May	2 Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Java	WC Anderson	Prus. bk.	300	March	31 Arnold Karberg & Co	Portland	Early
Joanne Alice	W Moutier	Fch. sh.	1209	March	11 Order	San Francisco	Immediate
John L. Dimmock	W Wenchell	Brit. sh.	1047	March	26 Russell & Co		
Lesmona	W Steinike	Brem. bk.	300	May	2 E. Schellhaas & Co	Saigon	
Madras	W Wupper	N. Ger. bk.	299	May	7 Siemens & Co		
Meridian	W Zetlerlund	Siam. sch.	350	May	10 Chinese		
Minerva	W Carreras	Span. bk.	273	May	7 Remedios & Co		
Natura	W Steward	Brit. sh.	1194	May	13 P. & O. S. N. Co		
Nevelle	K Jackson	Brit. sh.	715	Feb.	16 Turner & Co		
Neutau	WC Chebye	Amer. sh.	900	May	14 Russell & Co		
Nunau	WC Rager	Hawa. sch.	150	May	2 Malchers & Co	Tamsui	
Orestes	W Conception	Siam. bk.	381	May	8 Chinese		
Orpheus	E Crowell	Amer. sh.	1007	May	5 Russell & Co		
Paramatta	W Andrews	Brit. bk.	370	April	16 Remedios & Co	San Francisco	
Peppita	WC Ollivaris	Span. bk.	206	May	7 Remedios & Co		
Peruvian	WC Thompson	Amer. sh.	1076	May	14 Pacific Mail S. S. Co		
Queen of the Sea	E Reid	Brit. bk.	442	May	2 Borneo Company	Manila	
Rachael	W Ferth	Brit. bk.	288	May	5 Russell & Co		
Reynard	W Emory	Amer. sh.	1029	April	17 Russell & Co	San Francisco	Early
San Lorenzo	W Lebesma	Span. bk.	220	April	7 Remedios & Co		
Sarah March	E Morton	Brit. sh.	624	May	3 Russell & Co		
Sea Ripple	W Pringle	Brit. bk.	183	April	30 Jardine, Matheson & Co	Puget Sound	Early
Stad Assen	W Buer	Dut. bk.	444	April	28 Order	Singapore	
St. George	W Peterson	Siam. bk.	310	May	3 Chinese		
Tek Lee	WC Kerr	Hamb. bk.	350	April	30 Wm. Pustau & Co	Amoy	
The Colleen Bawn	W Allen	Brit. bk.	386	April	4 Arnold Karberg & Co	Iloilo	
Undine	E Scott	Brit. sh.	798	April	20 Jardine, Matheson & Co	London	
Villa de Kivadavia	W Oastilba	Span. bg.	261	April	13 Remedios & Co		
What Cheer	W Merry	Amer. bk.	534	May	12 Wm. Pustau & Co		
William Chandler	K Brown	Brit. sh.	700	April	30 Borneo & Co	San Francisco	
Windward	WC Barrett	Amer. sh.	900	May	3 Olyphant & Co	Shanghai	

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